IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bharat Raghunath CHAR § Group Art Unit: 1641

Pankaj Rameschandra BIHANI §

Examiner: Gary W. Counts

Serial No.: 10/583,751 §

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For: A METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION §

OF READY-TO-USE SUPPORT FOR RAPID ENZYME-LINKED \$

IMMUNOSORBENT ASSAY (ELISA) §

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 10, 2010

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 10, 2010, having a shortened three-month period for reply expiring February 10, 2011, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.